FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **S.1095**

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TO: The Honorable Thomas C. Alexander, Chairman, Senate General Committee

FROM: Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board

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SUBJECT: Assistant Adjutant General for the Army

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

A Cost of Federal and/or Other Funds (See Below)

BILL SUMMARY:

Senate Bill 1095 would increase the number of Assistant Adjutant Generals for the Army to two.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

Section 25-1-380 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, states that the salaries of the Assistant Adjutant Generals for the Army will be provided by the annual appropriations act. However, the Adjutant General's Office reports that the current Assistant Adjutant General for the Army is paid directly by the Federal Government. Should the General Assembly appropriate funds to cover the salaries with General Fund dollars, then there would be an annual cost to the General Fund of \$50,000 per Assistant Adjutant General for a total of \$100,000 annually.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

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